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SHOOTING ON STREET LANDS RUSSIAN IN SERIOUS TROUBLE

Monessen Man Accused of Attempt to Kill Successful Rival and Girl

HELD BY LOCAL JUSTICE

Must Answer to Serious Charges in Washington County Court—Arrest Made Immediately After Sunday Night Occurrence

Enraged it is said at the success of a rival in love Andy Kosmacko of Monessen ran amuck with a gun on McKean avenue near Eleventh street 9:20 o'clock Sunday night. Had his aim not been poor the story today might have been that of a dual tragedy. As it is Andy Holka of Monessen successful swain and Anna Reauko of Charleroi, the woman in the case are trembling over their narrow escape and Kosmacko is in jail cooling off in defaut of $1,000 bond for action of the Washington county grand jury on the charges of felonious shooting with intent to kill and for carrying concealed weapons.

Kosmacko is reported to have been drinking. It is said that when he met Holka and the Reauko woman walking along McKean avenue near the car barn his anger was uncontrollable. Pulling a revolver, the story goes he started shooting. He fired three shots but none took effect.

The passionate Russian lover was arrested by Policeman Gus Brickner who happened to be in the vicinity at the time and he was placed in the lockup. The frightened couple hurried to a point of safety and calm.

In police court the charge of shooting in the borough was credited against Kosmacko on the docket in order to hold him. Information was lodged on the more serious charges before Justice of the Peace E. E. Rice and the hearing was held this morning. That the man had been on the warpath was hinted by his recent purchase of the gun from a Monessen hardware store. He will be taken to jail by Chief of Police C. W. Albright to await court action.

Last Friday Kosmacko got into trouble at the Charleroi-Monessen bridge when he became engaged in an altercation over a woman. For his part in the affair he was fined $7.50 by Burgess P. E. Franks. When he left the burgess' office it was with the promise that he would shoot. However the persons concerned in the Sunday night trouble were different from those engaged in the previous fuss.

Bentleyville Man Hurt.

William Miller, of Bentleyville was brought to the Chareroi-Monessen hospital this afternoon suffering from injuries received in a fall down a shaft at the Acme mine Monday.

Kaufle's Restaurant

Formerly McPeck's on Saturday again swamped of all available eatables This restaurant is being conducted in a more quiet and orderly manner than in times gone by. 79-t1

Free Demonstration.

You are invited to attend the Serv-Us Pure Food demonstration at Haube's Flower Store, commencing Monday, September 4. *67-tf

PETER GALLO, PLATE WORKER DIES AT HOME ON MEADOW

Peter Gallo, aged 52 years 2 months and 21 days died at his residence at 1009 Meadow avenue Sunday morning at 3:20. He is survived by his wife, three children and five stepchildren. He has been a resident of Charleroi for 16 years, being an employee of the Pittsburg Plate Glass company. He is a well known man, being a member of two local Slavish societies and a member of St. Cyril and Methodius Catholic church. The funeral will be held Tuesday morning at 9:30 with requiem high mass at St. Cyril and Methodius church. Interment will be in Calvary cemetery.

FAYETTE CITY TO BUILD NEW ROAD

Nauvoo Hollow Stretch to be Improved Within Next Few Months

TOWNSHIP HIGHWAY FINISHED

Fayette City borough will undertake the work of repairing the Nauvoo Hollow road a distance of 2,400 feet within the next few weeks. For years this stretch of highway has been in bad shape. Tarvia will be used after it is macadamized ta make it a smooth, tempting thoroughfare to autoists.

Township supervisors of Washington township, which adjoins the borough have completed the work on a spur connecting with the Nauvoo Hollow road. With this new work done a good stretch of road between Fayette City and Perrypolis will be the result.

In re, Change of Grade on Third Street in the Borough of Charleroi, Pa.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Washington County, Penna., Number 3 November Term, 1916.

NOTICE OF VIEW.

The undersigned Viewers appointed by the Court at the above Number and Term, to ascertain and assess costs, damages and benefits by reason of the change on the grades on Third Street between Lincoln Avenue and Meadow Avenue, in the Borough of Charleroi will meet upon the premises at 11 o'clock, A. M. Monday, September 18th, 1916; after viewing said premises they will go to the Council Chamber of the said Borough of Charleroi, at which time and place they will hear all parties interested and their witnesses.

Viewers:
Grant E. Hess,
William Wylie,
T. S. McCurdy.

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CHARLEROI PLANS PAY UP WEEK OBSERVANCE

Nation-Wide Movement to be Carried Out Here—Purpose to Encourage Payment of All Outstanding.

Pay-up week will be observed in Charleroi October 2 to 5, inclusive, plans already being afoot for making the week a conspicuous one in business circles. The local observance will be a part of a nation-wide observance with the purpose being that hinted by the name a week for the payment of all bills.

The Charleroi Business Men's Association will back the local movement and a number of new innovations will be adopted to encourage the payment of all bills at that time. A number of dollar bills may be traced to see how far they go and how many times they change hands.

Some months ago National Pay-up Week was suggested and tried out with wonderful effect in a large number of places. Charleroi observed the week and made good with it.

METHODISTS ARRANGE ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Bishop Frank Hamilton of Pittsburg To Preside at Sessions Which Will Begin at Washington October 4

Arrangements are now being made for the annual Pittsburg conference of the Methodist Episcopal church which will be held this year in Washington, beginning October 4. Bishop Frank Hamilton recently selected as resident bishop at Pittsburg, will preside at the sessions of the conference.

It is understood that at least three district superintendents are to be elected at this conference the selections to be made for the Pittsburg, Allegheny and Washington districts. Superintendent J. J. Hill, of the Uniontown district who was elected two years ago has four years yet to serve in that district.

SESSIONS BEGIN TODAY AT DOUGLAS COLLEGE

Enrollment of Close to 100 Pupils First Day—Motthew Adams President of Douglas Schools—Local Corps Same as Last Year

With close to 100 pupils enrolled the first day Douglas Business college opened its 1916-17 term today at its school here. Day school was started as soon as possible this morning and night school work will be taken up next Monday evening.

Matthew Adams, who for years has been head of the Charleroi school, is the president of the Douglas Business College corporation which conducts various business schools in Western Pennsylvania. Charleroi teachers are J. Russell Carroll, who has charge of the bookkeeping department and Miss Marion Benedict, who has charge of the shorthand department.

Doulgas Business college operates for a ten months term, teaching the essentials of a business education. Its graduates are numerous, holding positions of importance in many towns and cities.

OTHER DIVORCE CASES CONSIDERED BY COURT

Papers of Separation Handed Down At Washington in Three Cases—3 New Cases Listed

Three more divorce orders were made by the court Saturday, and in one other case no order was made because the papers showed no return of service.

Beatrice Nicholson of Charleroi is granted a divorce from Wallace Nicholson on the grounds of desertion.

Jennie Bebout of Washington, is granted a divorce from Harry N. Bebout. Cruel and barbarous treatment was alleged. They were married on December 14, 1911. A few days after their marriage they moved to Detroit, Mich., where they lived until May of 1913. That month they returned to Washington. The wife cites a number of specific instances of cruel and barbarous treatment. The action of her husband, she says began shortly after their return to Washington and continued until she separated from him last June. The husband drank and when intoxicated was abusive.

Daniel Cox, of Donora, is granted separation from Edna Cox on the grounds of desertion.

No decree is made in the suit of Julia Guzi against Steve Guzi the papers showing no return of service.

In the divorce actions of Mary Jane Pounds against V. E. Pounds, George B. Breese against Sarah M. Breese and Laura M. Sanders against David L. Sanders, upon motion, Charles E. Phillips, Byron E. Tombaugh and Charles E. Phillips have been appointed commissioners, respectively, to take testimony.

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Slight Fire Occurs.

A slight fire in the Lutes building on McKean avenue near Third street resulted in the fire department being called out Sunday evening at 7:15 o'clock. The fire was caused by a curtain catching from a gas light.

ENROLLMENT STARTED AT NORMAL READY FOR CLASSES TOMORROW

Approximately 200 Pupils Listed by Noon Today for Ensuing Term

DELAYS IN TRAINING SCHOOL

Will Not Open One Department Until October 2—Many New Faces in Faculty—Senior Class to be Largest in History

Enrollment at the California Normal for the coming term began this morning and at noon about 200 pupils had been enrolled for the term which begins with the regular class work tomorrow for those over 16 years of age. The Training school will not open until permitted by the State Board of Health. They plan to open October 2.

The household department at the Normal has been busily engaged in putting everything in first class condition for the opening. Painting and papering and varnishing has been the order of the day.

Several improvements have been made in connection with the kitchen and dining room. A novel feature this year will be the employment of girls for waiters. These girls have been provided with full length white aprons and white caps and their appearance will add much to the scenes in the dining room. Mrs. W. H. Point, of Wilkinsburg, the new matron is in charge and George Wallace of California, has been employed as baker. The school will bake its own bread and pasteries for the coming year.

Old students will be somewhat surprised at the number of new faces in the faculty. Prof. and Mrs. Entz are from Coudersport. Mr. Entz will have charge of the department of mathematics. Prof. and Mrs. George F. Dunkelberger arrived Saturday from Susquehanna university, where he has been employed in the summer school. Prof. Dunkelberger will be an additional teacher in the educational department. He will teach methods and school management.

Prof. L. W. Glover of Inninois is making some interesting plans for the work in the vocal department and hopes to organize a Choral club for the singers and school and community during the year.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Fernald, who were located at Kent Hill Maine last ye ar, will live in South Dormitory in the rooms formerly occupied by Prof. Fiske. Mr. Fernald has played professional baseball and basket ball. He has played on the same team with such stars in baseball as Harry Lord, Freddie Parent Capt. Brickley and Ray Caldwell. In his coaching experience he had turned out several champion teams, not only in basket ball and baseball, but in football. Among the new faculty this year there are three men that have had experience in coaching athletics. It is believed that with the abundance of good material left over from last year, that a very strong team will be in the field.

Miss Pearl Stewart of New Cumberland, W. Va., who was in charge of 186 teachers in Springfield, Mo. last winter will succeed Miss Amy Applegate in the department of penmanship.

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DR. WOOD GETS REPORT OF ATLASBURG PARALYSIS CASE

Dr. C. B. Wood, county medical inspector was called to Atlasburg near Burgettstown today by report of a case of infantile paralysis. He intended to diagnose the case and if the diagnosis proved the report correct, to establish the usual strict quarantine.

MARGUERITE CLARK BILLED FOR THE COYLE THURSDAY

Marguerite Clark, one of the most popular actresses of the motion picture drama is billed to appear at the Coyle theatre on Thursday in the romantic photoplay, "Little Lady Eileen". Tuesday will be featured Rito Jolivet in "An International Marriage." On Saturday Helen Holmes will appear in "Whispering Smith." Next Tuesday will be Mary Pickford day, this great actress to be starred in "Hulda From Holland."

SYRIANS SECURE RELEASE ON BAIL

Bond Given on Serious Charges Arising From Elopement

FEDERAL OFFICERS AT WORK

Elas Syphan, a Syrian merchant of 1546 Wylie avenue Pittsburg charged in this county, with a serious offense, preferred by Clee Mike, of Pittsburg came to Washington Saturday and gave bail for court in the sum of $2,500. Saylam Joseph of Monongahela, his father-in-law who is also charged with a similar offense will also be released under bail.

The prosecution of Joseph and Syphan is a sequel to the elopement of Joseph and Mary Mike, daughter of Clee Mike, the prosecutor. Joseph and Mary Mike were married at Akron, O., on August 12 and immediately afterward returned to Monongahela to live. On that account charges are brought in this county. Charges against Joseph and Syphan have also been made in Pittsburg and both have given bail for their appearance in the Allegheny court.

Investigation of the case is expected to develop some startling facts in connection with a supposed white slave traffic. Federal authorities are interesting t hemselves and may start prosecutions under the Mann act.

A good old fashioned time at Pelzers, Calvary grove, Wednesday evening Sept 13 1916. Everybody welcome by the Ladies of the L. C. B. A. 73-t3—*

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MARGUERITE CLARK IN "LITTLE LADY EILEEN," THURSDAY. COMING SATURDAY HELEN HOLMES IN "WHISPERING SMITH," COYLE THEATRE.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. B. H. Rush, Cashier

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WILEY OPPOSES WILSON

Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, the man who has done more than any other to insure pure food and drugs in this country, has publicly announced that he will not support President Wilson because Mr. Wilson has failed to enforce the Pure Food and Drugs Act.

Dr. Wiley says: "I favor the election of Mr. Hughes, not because of Mr. Wilson's Mexican policy, or his foreign policy, but for one of the moral reasons, but because he has shown absolute indifference to the welfare of our own people by his failure to enforce the Pure Food and Drugs Act. Benzoate of soda is still regnant, the fumes of burning sulphur march on undisturbed and Coca Cola, declared by the Supreme court to be misbranded and amendable to the Pure Food law, has not been molested. Even the repeal of the Mixed Flour law—that splendid safeguard to the purity of our daily bread—has been tacitly approved by the Treasury Department, while not even a pretense of the enforcing the law against the bleaching of flour has been made.

"I should expect Mr. Hughes, as President to maintain the same high attitude toward the Pure Food and Law that he has as a judge on the bench, and to appoint a secretary of Agriculture who would be conscientious and earnest in his enforcement of the Pure Food law for the benefit of the mental, moral and physical welfare of our people. For that reason, I cordially support Mr. Hughes."

PLAYING WITH A GUN

Though recently enacted legislation has done much to lessen the number of peace time victims of the deadly rifle, something still remains to be done and that is to entirely prohibit them from handling by boys

In Fayette City a boy of 15 years playing with a rifle pulled the trigger. The story was the old one. He did not know the gun was loaded and seriously wounded a girl.

There is something fascinating to a boy about a gun. He is inspired by its power of powder and ball and quite instinctively wants to try it. But boyishly impulsive he too frequently pulls the trigger without investigating and without considering possibilities. There is no safe and sane way with a gun.

NOTABLE IMPROVEMENT

The improvement of the Nauvoo hollow road in Fayette City will please automobile men. For years the road has been in poor condition and at times almost impassable. It has been one of the worst stretches leading into the progressive up-river community. With improvements completed it will be one of the best.

WHAT OTHERS THINK

"TOO MANY LAWYERS."

"There is a great economic waste in the administration of the law," said Elihu Root, addressing the American Bar Association. "There is no country in the world in which the doing or justice is burdened by such heavy overhead charges or in which so great a force is maintained for a given amount of litigation."

The public is familiar enough with the "charges." But few persons perhaps have considered the proposition of unnecessary "overhead charges" of our court procedure, or estimated the extent to which legal expenses are piled up because of the "great force" of lawyers maintained by the nation to do its legal work.

There are 114,000 lawyers in the United States. Mr. Root says rightly that that is far too many. Even with the modest living that most of them make the maintenance of so great a number of men in an unproductive occupation where half or a third of them could do all the work that has to be done involves enormous waste of wealth and energy.

"Superfluous lawyers," says Mr. Root, "are mere pensioners and drags upon the community and upon all sound economic principles ought to be set to some other useful work." Farming, for example.

The trouble, he intimates, is largely due to the ease with which candidates are admitted to the bar. He would raise the standard of the profession and at the same time limit it ranks by making the requirement much higher—Erie Dispatch.

HOW THEY DO IT

Merchants in small towns are the avowed enemies of the mail order houses. They waste considerable effort and energy in [illegible] in every possible.

The publicity man for one of Chicago's biggest mail order concerns has made public the manner in which profitable towns are selected. He says his company invariably chooses places where local merchants do not advertise.

The mail order firm rightfully excludes [illegible] with "live" merchants [illegible] "dead" towns don't matter.

[illegible] behind grain of truth in the [illegible]. It is a bit of [illegible] which [illegible] should [illegible] to digest.

A merchant is not the kind of [illegible] A merchant cannot stand [illegible] boldy, has no right to expect [illegible]. As to the mail order concerns do not believe in advertising, has the right to expect the mail order companies to pass it by—Tarentum Valley.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

In this world you can even find sympathizers.

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What has become of the old fashioned man who insisted upon telling you all about his vacation.

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Most youngsters fail to live up to their advance notices.

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Noah's Trials and Tribulations.

Old Noah had an awful cinch,
Despite those weeping skies:
He didn't have right shoes to pinch
And only had two flies.

—Pittsburg Post.

But let us not forget my friend.
His troubles came in hunks.
His life was not a perfumed dream.
He also had two skunks.

—St. Louis Star.

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Borrowed money always seems to go farther when you know it has to be repaid.

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Of course it is none of our business but it sure looks out of place to see the harness dealer and the buggy manufacturer driving their own automobiles. —Luke McLuke.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

A woman was giving instructions to her new butler, who seemed to have but a faint conception of the duties of a position for which he demanded high wages.

"Remember," said the woman, "that in announcing meals you are to say: 'Breakfast is ready,' 'Luncheon is ready,' 'Dinner is served.'"

Not long after the woman ventured to experiment on a dinner to a few intimate friends. Her dismay can be imagined when on appearing at the drawing room door to announce dinner, the butler exclaimed in clarion tones:

"Breakfast is ready, luncheon is ready, dinner is served."—Boston Globe.

A commercial traveler on his first trip called upon a well known chemist. He was nervous as he put his hand into his pocket and drew out a card.

"I represent that concern," said he.

"You are fortunate" replied the chemist.

The traveler was encouraged.

"I thinges, sir," he said, "and the chemist who trades with us is even more so. My firm has the finest line of cosmetics in the world."

"I shouldn't have thought it," slowly responded the man of medicines. "Her complexion looks natural." And he handed back the photograph which the young man had given him in mistake.

The traveler didn't wait for his order—Exchange.

DUNLEVY

Mrs. D. Dupont and son Frank of North Charleroi spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Mahan.

Mrs. John Barrass and children spent the week-end at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Hines of Gillespie.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Barr and son Raymond of Coal Centre visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Crowl.

Ambrosia Dooley who was injured recently at the Belle Vernon Coal and Coke mine is now able to be about.

Robert Cowell and Ralph Lynn spent Sunday at the home of William Powell of Mingo.

Mrs. Ed Robson spent Sunday at the home of her mother Mrs. Thomas Powell of Houston Run.

Mrs. Robert Cowell and daughter Hyla spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Cowell of Speers

Little Elsie May the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Courtley died Saturday evening at the home of her grandparents Mr and Mrs. H. Dunseath. Interment will be at Monongahila.

Mrs. Mary Feehan of North Charleroi, Mrs. Peter Lee and daughter Miss Margaret of Charleroi visited friends and relatives in Dunlevy Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Lynn spent the week-end at the home of her grandfather Thomas Easton of Pricedale.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnston and family of Bentleyville visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hamilton Sunday.

Miss Dora Johnston of Charleroi visited at the home of Miss Mary Fitzgerald Sunday.

Mrs. Alec. Gray Sr. visited her daughter Mrs. William Jones of Donora Sunday.

GINGLES' JINGLES

UPSET.

The baseball fan is sorrowful, a woeful sad gazille, for rain has upset all his plans, we've had a record spill, of cloudy dreary rainy days of dark and [illegible] Yet, we've had so much the baseball fan has started not to feel His office work's all upset, his system's on the blink, and in his sleep he talks about the baseball diamond being now a shady spot, and how the billions post him sliding on the "Shandy Lee." His wife's girls are nervous wrecks with strums crushed and bent, by [illegible] [illegible] twist. I thought that those of them are sent; we sometimes worry how cursed for fear he's off his base, for fear the booby hatch will be his next abiding place. For yesterday he wrote a line print for me to put in my jingling on the city baseball page, but we could [illegible] the weather man, could have him [illegible] death for sunshine now is with us (in fact we would told you the truth.) Safety we hope to have and not [illegible] into rain—is here the hope again is same.

Edwin K. Gingles

STEEL PRODUCTS TAKE BELTZHOOVER CONTEST

Great pitching by Katsy Kiefer and hard hitting by his teammates of the Pittsburg Steel Products Company took an easy and one-sided game from the Beltzhoover Independents Saturday afternoon 12 to 1 on the Charleroi grounds.

Kiefer kept the visiting aggregation down to five hits and struck out 11 of their batsmen. As though this was not enough he scored three runs and made one hit.

Ten hits were the total of the locals. The merriest inning of all was the first inning, when the Steel Products tallied seven runs. Three runs were scored in the eighth inning when the second balloon ascension of the exhibition occurred. The lone tally of the visitors came in the eighth inning. Score:

Steel Products	R	H	P	A	E
Elliott, 3	2	2	2	1	0
Robertson, m	1	1	1	0	0
Russell, s	1	1	3	3	0
J. Guder, c	1	1	11	0	0
Wilson, 1	1	1	10	0	0
F. Guder, r	0	1	0	0	0
Parks, r	0	0	0	0	0
McDowell, l	2	1	0	0	0
Savage, 2	1	1	0	3	0
Kiefer, p	3	1	0	2	0
Total	12	10	27	9	0
Beltzhoover	R	H	P	A	E
C. Dawson, 3	0	0	0	1	0
F. Dawson, l	0	2	2	0	0
J. Dawson, m	0	1	1	0	0
Burress 1	0	0	14	0	1
B. Shultz, s	0	0	0	2	1
Walters, c	0	0	4	0	0
J. Schultz, 2-p	1	1	1	2	0
Quinn, r-2	0	1	1	4	0
Martin, p	0	0	0	1	0
Loeffler, r	0	0	1	0	0
Harman, r	0	0	0	0	0
Total	1	5	24	10	2

Steel Prod ...7 0 0 1 1 0 0 3 x—12
Beltzhoover ..0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0— 1

Two base hits—F. Guder, J. Dawson. Three base hit—J. Schultz. Home run—Elliott. Struck out—By Kiefer 11, by Martin 3. Bases on balls—Off Martin 2. Hit by pitcher—By Kiefer 1, by Martin 1. Umpire—Miller.

MAIL ADS ARE A BIG HELP

LITTLE ESSAY ON PANTS

Some Very Interesting Thoughts on Those Worn by Male of the Species.

Pants are of two kinds; human and dog.

The human pants of commerce are worn mainly by males.

But equal rights prevail among dogs.

Human pants are worn thicker in winter and thinner in summer.

The dog's pants come thicker in the summer.

The dog's lungs are the seat of its pants. (Date 1870. Hostetter's Almanac.)

While pants are not a germicide, they are a business to themselves.

The man who wears them doesn't work at much else at the time.

When I was small and on a farm, I wore pants that were not new.

So far as I could find out, they never had been new.

When they had been first worn out by the first tailless an extra I had they had been patched at all the ventilated places.

When the original goods were cut between the patches, the most patches were connected by other patches.

And sew on.

Where they overlapped—the patches—the goods became about an inch thick.

And when human legs made of any material less durable than vulcanized flint are incased in a set of inch-and-a-quarter Deer Island jeans trousers patched with every kind of heavy goods from horse blankets to remnants of rag carpet—when, I say, any human nether limbs are incarcerated in these boundless tubular garments in a wheat field on a southwest hillside at two o'clock on a clear, still day when the temperature is 110 in the shade and there is no shade, the owner of said legs thinks longingly of the bastile, the stocks, the pillory, the thumb-screw, the rack, the stake and other religious pleasantries.

I have gone long days in the wheat field in a pair of such asbestos pants lined with sandpaper or barbed wire, and now death or public speaking or fashionable dinners—none of those things has any terror for me.

I playfully inquire of death as to the location of its stinger.—Farm Life.

Woman's Winning Force.

The winning force in woman's life is first of all, purpose—a purpose which carries with it the assent of reason, the judgment of the mind and the approval of conscience.

This purpose must be your own—not another's. The sorrowful experiences of many women is that they are always children, with no plan of life, no will by which their energies are to be directed.

Don't drift, but steer. Dare to be singular. Scorn to degrade yourself by yielding up your individuality to suit the whim of the worthless.

Now and then a woman stands aside from the crowd, labors steadfastly and straightway the world wonders, admires and crowns the determined doer, and yet it only illustrates what a growing and exhaustless force each woman might become if she took hold of life with a purpose.

Determine to live for something lasting. Even goodness fails where there is no will.

You cannot dream yourself into a character. You must hammer and force yourself into one.

New Russian Oil Fields.

A newly verified Russian oil field, with an area of about 70,000 square miles, or about twice the size of the New England states, now emerges strangely from a mass of explorers' data to suggest pretty strongly that current pessimism over the decreasing output of the oil fields of the Caucasus is not well justified. This new field, according to Russia, the monthly organ of R. Martens & Co., is located in the Ural province, begins at the Caspian sea, taking a fanlike shape to the north as far as the town of Alexandrovsky Gai, runs nearly due east to the town of Temir and from there in a southerly and southwesterly directions, following the Emba river to the Caspian sea again. Although an attempt was made by the government to encourage the commercial exploration of this country as far back as 1899, no serious development work had been done until a very short time ago. Russia more now than ever, is feeling effects of the high prices of petroleum and its absolute necessity has led to the discovery of these fields.—Wall Street Journal.

Conundrums.

It is often said that love is blind, and, judging by the experience of a newly married couple, it hasn't much sense of taste, either.

A few weeks after the wedding a friend dropped into the bridegroom's studio and found the artist and his bride laughing heartily at some joke.

"What ever is amusing you so much?" he asked in amazement.

"Oh, it's been so funny," gurgled the young wife, as she wiped the tears of joy from her eyes. "My husband painted and I cooked this morning, and now we are both trying to guess what the things were meant for."

Costly Remark.

"What do you think, Miss Chenille, a friend of mine got a three-karat diamond ring for only twenty dollars!"

"Why don't you look out for a bargain like that, Mr. Stowgup?"

And presently it dawned upon him that the remark was going to cost him money.

WOMAN SO WEAK COULD NOT SLEEP

Made Well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

North [illegible] — I had lost three [illegible] and was all run down and so weak I could not sleep at night. My eyesight would leave me and everything I ate upset my stomach. I was [illegible] and I would start to [illegible] and to stop and lie down before I could finish. I was looking over the paper one day and read of a woman who felt as I did and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, so I took it too. Now I am proud to tell you I am feeling fine and have given birth to a [illegible]. He is my 'Pinkham' baby. I keep a bottle of Compound in my house always."—Mrs. Peter Marco, Box 54, North Oxford, Mass.

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Notice to Plumbing, Heating and Electrical Contractors.

Sealed proposals will be received by Dr. T. M. Faddis, Secretary of the School Board of Charleroi, Pa., up until five P. M. on Tuesday, September 19th for the installation of plumbing, heating and electric wiring systems in the additions to the Charleroi High school building.

Plans and specifications can be secured from Andrew P. Cooper, Architect, 704 First National Bank Building, Uniontown, Pa. The Board reserves the right to accept any bids or to reject any or all bids.

Certified checks will be required to accompany the bids in the following amounts, with the heating $250.00, with the plumbing $50.00 and with the wiring $50.00.

The School Board of the School District of Charleroi, Pa.

F. C. Stahlman, President.
Thomas M. Faddis, Secretary.
Andrew P. Cooper, Architect.

S-8-11-12-14

Report of the condition of the [illegible] Bank of Charleroi, at [illegible] Corner of Fifth Avenue and Fifth street, of Washington County, Pennsylvania, at the close of business August 31st, 1916.

RESOURCES.

Reserve Fund:		
Cash, specie and notes	$ 68,297 37	
Due from approved reserve agents	123 213 88	$ 191,511 25
Checks and cash items		452 01
Due from Banks and Trust Cos. not reserve		7 475 87
Assets held for [illegible]		27 50
Bills discounted upon one name	$ 85,501 72	
Bills discounted upon two or more names	282,969 77	418 471 52
Time loans with collateral		51 270 93
Loans on collateral		238,815 84
Loans on one name		69,189 97
Loans on real estate mortgage		175,145 38
Loans secured by bonds and mortgages		1 [illegible] 84
Bonds, [illegible]		431,585 61
Miscellaneous Judgements of record		271 [illegible] 12
[illegible]		1 [illegible] 5 [illegible]
[illegible]		30,251 09
		1 [illegible] 867 21

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	75 [illegible] 00
Surplus	200,000 00
Undivided profits, less [illegible]	16,[illegible] 50
[illegible]	[illegible]
Savings	3 [illegible] 88
[illegible]	1 [illegible] 67
[illegible]	1,[illegible] 71
[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	179 00
Total	$1,[illegible] 21

State of Pennsylvania, County of Washington, ss.

I, C. McKEAN Assistant Cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. McKEAN Asst. Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this [illegible] day of [illegible] 1916.

MINNIE B. RICHARDSON,
Notary Public.
My commission expires Feb 14th, 1917.

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Owing to an order of Dr. Dixon closing all schools in the state of Pennsylvania until September 18, California State Normal will be unable to begin until that time. 62tf

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Your knowing that you have a fine line of merchandise will never bring buyers. Let the people know by seeing it in

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Special Sale House Dresses

We are going to put on sale today 5 dozen house dresses. It will surely pay you to see the splendid values in this lot of dresses. The way the price of the raw material is going up it will pay you to buy three or four of these dresses and lay them away for future use.

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79 cents

These dresses are made of extra fine material some of them trimmed with lace collars.

Colors are very pretty clean looking shades, in stripes and checks, of blue, pink, black and lavender.

At the price this lot of dresses should not last long so come today and get your share.

Special sale of Flexo skirts still on. Don't fail to see them in our window 98c and 1.50 great values at this price.

New fall suits are arriving daily for Ladies and Misses in all the correct modes and snappy styles for immediate wear. Come in and see them.

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CLASSIFIED

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Must be a good girl. Apply L. Collins store. 70-tf

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WANTED—Man for all-round work at Charleroi-Monessen hospital. 69tf

TO LET—A furnished room near Fifth street, school on Meadow avenue. Lady teacher or teachers preferred. Address 281 Mail office. 72-t3

FOR SALE—Five room house with cemented cellar. Lot 110x40. Good well. Inquire 1111 Lincoln avenue. 68-t6-p

FOR SALE—Seven room house, linen room, bathroom and pantry. Large cistern and well. Inquire 203 Prospect avenue. 60-tf

FOR SALE—At a bargain price 6 room house with bath room, furnace, hot and cold water, located on Fallowfield avenue, also at reduced price good 5 room house with bath, located on Meadow avenue $1,700. Inquire Real Estate Department, Charleroi Savings and Trust company. E. J. Charles, manager. 63-tf

WANTED—Lady canvassers. Apply 616 Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi, Pa., 9 o'clock Monday morning Sept 11. 72-t1p

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FOR RENT—Furnished room for gentleman. Very desirable locality. Apply 782 Charleroi Mail. 72-t3p

WANTED—Girl dishwasher at meal time and for general work about restaurant. 783 Mail. 73-t1

LOST—Cameo ring between Lock Hill and Pittsburg car barn. Reward if returned to Coyle theatre. 73-t1-p

ENROLLMENT STARTS

Continued from page one.

The senior class promises to number over 150 and will be the largest class that has completed the new course. Present indications are that the enrollment of previous years will be exceeded. On account of the late start the vacation at Christmas time will be reduced by one week. The winter and spring terms will come at the time planned for. The regular Normal year of 40-weeks can easily be completed.

Training school will be carried on a little later in the spring than usual in order to make the full nine months.

The Junior Literary societies will not begin their work before the first week in October.

STARTS JUVENILE POLICE

Harry H. Schlacht, the originator of the juvenile police of this country. At the graduation exercises held at the East Side Protective association headquarters, in New York, when fifty juvenile police were graduated, a movement was started to have Police Commissioner Woods appoint Mr. Schlacht a juvenile deputy commissioner of police.

GIRL DIES AS PREDICTED

Fortune Teller Told Pennsylvania Girl to Avoid Trips on the Water.

Phoenixville, Pa.—The body of Dorothy Barr, the seventeen-year-old girl of this place, who drowned in the Schuylkill river, was found about one mile from the spot where she lost her life when her canoe upset. Lock Tender Hennessy, at the Pawling locks, saw the body floating in the river and recovered it from a boat.

The drowning of Miss Barr and the finding of her body followed the prediction made a week before the girl's death by a fortune teller whom she and a girl friend consulted in a spirit of fun. The seer then told Miss Barr to avoid all trips or voyages upon the water, and said she would take such a trip and would drown. The fortune teller also predicted that after four days her body would be recovered. The girl laughed at the clairvoyant, but the prophesy was vividly recalled to the mind of her companion when the body was recovered.

SON COMMANDS HIS FATHER

Latter Is a Private in a Militia Company, and Former Is Lieutenant.

Kansas City, Kan.—The regular order of things is that the son should take orders from the father.

But in Company A, Kansas National Guard of Kansas City, Kan., this order is reversed in the case of William Firstenberger, father, and Alfred Firstenberger, son.

William Firstenberger, although postmaster of Kansas City, Kan., and an important appearing person of some 250 pounds, is just a private.

Alfred Firstenberger is Second Lieutenant of the company, much smaller in size—but possessing authority.

So when Son Firstenberger issues orders "Pa" Firstenberger, although he may be a bit tired—or perhaps differing in opinion—must obey them. In this case the son has to be obeyed.

New Guinea and Cameroons Stamps.

The "ship type" of postage-stamp for Germany's second oldest colony, New Guinea, or New Britain, as it is now, also dated only from 1900, and was replaced in September, 1914, by some of the most interesting of the "occupation" stamps issued by the British authorities. The name German New Guinea was somewhat of a misnomer, the more so as the seat of Government was situated at Herbertshohe, on Gazelle Island, in the Bismarck Archipelago. At one time Germany had aspirations of altering the name to German Australia, but it didn't come off. The Cameroons, too, were not blessed with their Hohenzollern postage-stamps until the end of 1900, and the extinction of this unhappy type has been accomplished by the overprinting of the surplus stocks with the initials "C. E. F." (Cameroons Expeditionary Force) by the British authorities, and quite recently by wording in French signifying France's part in the administration of this territory.—Westminster

TURK IS CHIVALROUS ENEMY

Much-Maligned Race Shows High Sense of Honor in Its Manner of Conducting Warfare.

When the Red Cross dressing stations at Suvla bay were shelled by the Turks, writes Norman Wilkinson in his account of the Gallipoli campaign, it was owing to British carelessness in landing stores and ammunition near the stations.

It was not a deliberate act, for no nation could possibly have conducted warfare in a more above-board manner than the Turks. The fact was a surprise to me, although naval officers greatly have long regarded the Turk as the gentleman of the eastern Mediterranean. That is further borne out by the Turk's refusal to use poisonous gas when attacking.

On the afternoon of the landing the Turks sent in to say that they would respect the Red Cross stations if no stores were landed in the vicinity. At a later date the Turkish headquarters sent a hello message to the effect that they had seen tows of boats communicating between warships and the dressing stations. That they naturally resented, and said that if it did not cease they should feel compelled to open fire.

In another case a surgeon told me that the enemy had actually sent to apologize to him for the accidental shooting of one of his stretcher bearers. All this is only what one would expect from a chivalrous enemy, but the action of the Turk shows that this much-maligned race retains a sense of honor that is more sensitive than that of some who regard themselves as superior.

MODERN GUNFIRE IS COSTLY

Greater Part of Immense Sum European War Is Costing Is Being Thrown Away by Artillery.

This is a war of artillery. Shells and shrapnel are being used on a scale far in excess of the calculations of the most far-seeing military experts of Europe.

To fire a single shot from our biggest guns cost $5,000, and some idea of the expenditure of naval firing can be gathered from the fact that one famous battleship could use up roughly $100,000 worth of ammunition per minute if she worked all of her guns at full blast, as she would do if necessary. And to this huge outlay must be added the cost of the gun, remembering that the largest weapon has a very short life, and is soon worn out. The most expensive gun we use is a 15-inch, though other big guns run up heavy ammunition bills. For instance, $375 vanishes in flame and smoke every time a 13.5 weapon is fired.

The guns which expend $5,000 worth of ammunition every time they fire are really wonderful pieces of artillery. They shell over a distance of 30 miles with the certainty of hitting any spot they aim at. The power and velocity of the shot are such that on leaving the gun it has force enough to go straight through 57½ inches of wrought iron.—London Tit Bits.

Matter of Height.

We are informed by an otherwise veracious friend that he was standing in front of a department store, gazing raptly into one of the display windows, when he heard this conversation:

"Tell me, Grace," said a man whose wife—or maybe she wasn't—had made him stop while she rubbered at the dresses, "when you're getting a dress, which costs more—the waist or the skirt?"

"Why, that depends," said the woman.

"On the season, I suppose."

"How could it depend on the season, silly?"

"Well, this season the skirts come high, but the waists don't—ain't I right?"

The Army Rat Catcher.

William Dalton of Southwark, who is known as the king of rat catchers, has been given the job of killing the rats in all the army camps in England.

"This year," says the "king," "I am fighting almost single-handed, and the menace is really serious. In less than six months I have caught over 12,000 rats, and cries for help are coming from all quarters.

"The government has come to realize the necessity for killing rats. At one camp I have already visited we caught 1,085 rats, and over 70 of them weighed more than a pound and a half each."—New York Sun.

Apples Is Good.

The young superintendent of the Endeavor society tried to teach each child to say aloud some prayer, even if it were only a sentence. At first she taught them prayers. Later they were encouraged to compose their own.

One tiny fellow, the son of a poor widow, had his first production ready on a very cold winter day.

"Dear Lord, apples is good."

That night the mother of the superintendent took a basket of apples to the child's home. The boy smiled radiantly, evidently grateful that his first prayer had been answered.

Keeping Friends.

"This poet speaks about keeping friends with oneself. That sounds nonsensical for me."

"Not at all. Didn't you ever call yourself names?"

"Ye-es."

"And why? Because you had done something of which you did not approve."—Kansas City Journal.

HIGH WAISTLINE WORN IN 2500 B.C.

Dressmakers of Pharaoh's Time Made Gowns Like Those of 1916.

BOTH SEXES USED COSMETICS

Expert of the New York Metropolitan Museum of Art Finds That Fashions Changed Often in Nile's Highest Civilization.

New York.—The high waistline in women's clothes, the fashion for the summer of 1916, was fairly popular in Egypt about the year 2500 B. C., a time when saught_mustaches were the rage among the young men, according to researches made by Miss [illegible] Carlandt of the Metropolitan Museum of Art. She discovered that cosmetics were much used by the women favorites of the Pharaohs, and also found that the men were not averse to toning up their complexions when courts were held along the Nile of the middle kingdoms.

In the monthly Bulletin of the Museum, Miss Carlandt has described the clothes of fashionable society of the Egypt of long ago. Her descriptions were taken from exhibits in the museum. Depicting the costumes of the Old Kingdom, 2980-2475 B. C., she says:

Sheathlike Garment.

"The conventional sheathlike garment worn by all women was of plain unplaited stuff, that hung from the breast to the ankles, so scant that it clung to the figure and clearly showed the form, fastened by straps over one or both shoulders or merely held up by a belt. It was often pure white, but sometimes it had a narrow selvage around the top, a fringe on the bottom and braces that were parti-colored. In the tomb of Ptahhetep at Sakkara there is a scene of offering-bearers representing estates, where the dresses are alternately red and dark green. These women, according to custom were adorned with necklaces, bracelets and anklets of blue and green beads.

"Aside from white, green seems to have been the color most worn, although we do find in reliefs red and yellow dresses as well. The fashions for women were simpler and less varied than those for men, with slight deviations from the conventional attire such as a short skirt worn at times by servants. The attire of dancing girls varied from the regular long costume to a short skirt, or in the later period to a girdle of brightly colored beads.

"Most women wore wigs or dressed their own hair long. It fell to the shoulders or to the waist in the back in a large mass, with a side-lock hanging on either side of the face. Sometimes a colored ribbon was tied around the brow like a fillet, and often a circlet of real flowers was worn.

"We know that cosmetics and ointments were used by both men and women, and in this connection it is interesting to note a statuette in the first Egyptian room, the eyes of which are outlined with a green band. Green malachite was used for this, whether purely for adornment or for medicinal reasons we do not know, and rouge and black paint were also employed as part of the make-up.

Shows Diversity.

"Dress in ancient Egypt, as in every civilized country, shows diversity according to the class or occupation of the individual and variety dependent upon the fashion of the day. The king and his courtiers set the styles, which were soon assumed by subordinate officials until they forced their superiors to adopt new modes. The fluctuations of fashion would be difficult to follow, although there was a steady tendency to elaboration and luxury; but let us consider the most distinct changes in the Old Kingdom (2980-2475 B. C.) the Middle Kingdom (2160-1788 B. C.), and the Empire (1580-945 B. C.), as shown in our Egyptian galleries.

"In the tomb of Perneb we have costumes that are typical of the Old Kingdom. Humble people were satisfied with a belt, tied around the waist with the ends hanging down in front, a skirt of linen, fastened loosely around the loins, or rarely they contrived a rush matting. Even these, at times were laid aside, and the men appeared nude when engaged in strenuous exercise. The offering-bearers in the tomb chamber wore the short white skirt, the most common article of clothing. It was a straight piece of white linen cloth wrapped about their hips like a kilt, the ends being knotted in front or being passed under a girdle, and sticking up above the waistline.

"Men in the Old Kingdom almost invariably clipped their hair close and shaved their faces, although up to the fifth dynasty they sometimes wore slight mustaches, but shepherds occasionally allowed their hair to grow, a custom generally considered unclean. The upper classes wore wigs of two kinds—either short and close-fitting, with tight little curls in horizontal row, or long and bushy, parted in the middle and falling well over the shoulders. Such wigs were probably made of sheep's wool, and actual specimens have been found. When a man wished to assume his full dignity, he attached a false beard of plaited hair to his chin by means of straps. Sandals, which were made of reeds or leather with a strap over the instep, connect-

PERSONALS

James Ryland returned Friday from Ohio after closing a successful summer contract with the Frontier Press company.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Albright and daughters Rebecka and Margaret motored to Charleroi Sunday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Chalfant of Washington avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Steinbaugh and family and Ralph Hickey motored to Allegheny Sunday and visited with Mrs. I. S. Ingem.

Miss Jessie Speers with a party of friends motored to Greensburg, Bedford Springs and Cumberland, Sunday.

Walter Cook of Brookville is visiting with his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Cook of Washington avenue.

Misses Isabella and Euphemia Park of Knoxville visited with friends in Charleroi Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Partridge of Steubenville, Ohio, returned to her home Monday morning after spending a few days with her sister Mrs. Amanda Price of Fallowfield avenue.

Mrs. Della P. Halstead was a Pittsburg visitor Monday.

A good old fashioned time at Pelzers Calvary grove, Wednesday evening Sept. 13, 1916. Everybody welcome by the Ladies of the L. C. B. A. 73-t3

Mrs. Herbert Steinman of Brownsville visited over Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Vetter of Fallowfield avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Pfleghardt of Fallowfield avenue have gone to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Tussing of Washington avenue left Saturday for Denver, Colorado where they will spend their vacation.

Miss Phillis Murray has gone to Duquesne where she will visit with relatives.

Freer Ailes and Russell Stahlman are visiting at Zollarsville with Miss Hazel Pollock.

Frank Beatty visited at McKeesport, Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. A. S. Sickman have returned from a vacation trip spent in the east.

Mrs. James Reed of West Elizabeth visited with Mrs. W. A. Miksch Sunday.

George Ryland left Saturday for New York where he will visit.

Misses Bertha and Mamie Wiseman left Monday on a vacation trip to Detroit.

Mrs. W. W. Seaton of Uniontown and Miss Carrie Claybaugh of Brownsville spent Sunday with their sister Miss Sarah Claybaugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wagner of McKean avenue visited with Mr. and H. E. Dawson of near Beallsville Sunday.

Mrs. H. E. Earhart of Mount Braddock visited over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Trew of Crest avenue

Miss Carrie Toynbee has returned to her home at Morgantown after visitinf with Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Lewis of Meadow avenue.

Leonard Wolf has gone to his home at Morgantown where he will visit for a week.

Prof. W. L. McCullough of Monaca visited in town over Sunday with friends.

RELIEVED RHEUMATICS ENTHUSE

All of Them Loud in Their Praises of "Neutrone Prescription 99"

A working man buying a bottle of "Neutrone Prescription 99" was asked how it was helping him.

"Helping me," he replied. "Why, there is nothing on earth like it. You don't know how my poor swollen, stiff joints and muscles pained and burned. I was nearly crazy with the suffering and the worry of losing so much time and pay."

"Before I knew about "Neutrone Prescription 99" I tried all kinds of tablets and liniments, but one bottle of "Neutrone Prescription 99" helped me so much that I am never without it now, all pain and swelling is gone and I feel like doing things."

"Neutrone Prescription 99" certainly must be a wonder," the druggist replied. "We have never handled anything like it they all say the same." 50c and $1.00 the bottle, mail orders filled on $1 size.

W. F. Hennings and leading d ruggists everywhere.

TRY A CLASSIFIED WANT AD

UNEARTH RUINS 1,000 YEARS OLD

Dr. Fewkes Discovers Most Ancient Structure Known in the Southwest.

BUILT BEFORE SUN TEMPLE

That Building in Mesa Verde National Park Was Inhabited Is Shown by Household Utensils—Finds Ancient War Club.

Denver, Colo.—A ruin more than 1,000 years old—the most ancient of all the ruins discovered in the southwest—has been unearthed in Mesa Verde National park, Colorado, by Dr Jesse Walter Fewkes of the Smithsonian institution.

Doctor Fewkes started to excavate on July 20 a large mound five miles from Spruce Tree camp, on top of the mesa. He has made sufficient progress to show the outlines of a huge building of the pueblo type of architecture, 112 feet long and 93 feet wide, including a plaza. The main building contains a large court and at least three circular kivas, or ceremonial chambers.

Doctor Fewkes says the building is much older than Sun Temple, which he excavated in Mesa Verde National park last year. In fact, it is by far the oldest building uncovered in the southwest, and shows that the people who inhabited Mesa Verde National park must have flourished at least 1,000 years ago.

News of Doctor Fewkes' discovery was brought to Denver by Dr. Elmer E. Higley, pastor of a church in Des Moines, Ia. He takes a keen interest in archaeological subjects, particularly those concerning the Mesa Verde, on which he lectures. He was one of the first to explore the cliff dwelling now known as Daniel's House, which was explored for the first time last summer.

Building a Distinct Type.

"Doctor Fewkes has made a wonderful discovery this season in Mesa Verde National park," said Doctor Higley. "He has uncovered a new type of building. The ruin which is now being uncovered is situated about thirty rods south of the large circular reservoir known as Mummy lake, which is close to the automobile road leading to Spruce Tree camp. Everyone who visits the ruins has Mummy lake pointed out to him.

"There are nine large mounds near Mummy lake and it is one of these that Doctor Fewkes has excavated this season. Probably it will be late in September before the work is completed. The building is rectangular in shape and the masonry work is not so good as that in Sun Temple, which Doctor Fewkes excavated last year. Doctor Fewkes is of the opinion that the building which is being excavated this season is much older than Sun Temple, which probably was built about 1300 A. D. The building on which he is now working evidently was inhabited, while Sun Temple was not. The workmen are finding broken pottery in great quantities and household implements as well. Evidently the building was covered and was very imposing.

"About a dozen men are working on the building and all are keenly interested, feeling that valuable discoveries may be made at any time. The building represents a distinct type, entirely different from the cliff ruins, themselves, which are built in caverns in the cliffs. The buildings around Mummy lake were built in the open much on the lines of modern structures. The building being uncovered commands a view for many miles in all directions, and for this reason it has been suggested that the ruin be named Prospect House."

Finds Ancient War Club.

"As is the case of Sun Temple, the walls of this building are two or three feet thick. Double walls extend all the way around the building, probably for purpose of defense. Probably a roof will be put over this building, but it is the intention to make the covering strictly modern and not to attempt to conform to cliff dwellers or mesa dweller type.

"Doctor Fewkes' intention to do some work this season on Mummy lake, which has been the cause of much speculation. It is the general opinion that Mummy lake was a reservoir supplying water to the group of buildings in the immediate vicinity and perhaps part of an irrigation system. The mound is circular and has a depression in the middle. The structure covered by earth evidently is double walled and of great size."

Doctor Higley entered a cliff dwelling which, it was supposed, never had been explored before. It was necessary for him to be lowered 90 feet over the side of a cliff to get into the building. He found that one of the Wetherills and a companion had been in the building in the eighties, about the time the cliff dwellings were discovered. In this building Doctor Higley found an implement which Doctor Fewkes pronounced a sort of war club. It consisted of a stone to which was attached a short handle. It is the first implement of warfare to be found in the cliff ruins and has excited much interest.

OLD AND NEW SWIMMING HOLE

That of the Present Day Cannot Obliterate Grandfather's Memories of His Youth.

Memory goes tracking back through the years to the old swimming hole. This one was on the "current side" of a great river, and the maze of one of its majestic bends. Huge elm and oak trees grew on the bank and shaded waters whose liquid depths held such delights as nowhere else have been experienced. The smooth rock bottom of the river was ever washed clean while the white sand of the bar of beach along the shore was firm and grateful to the foot. This ideal spot was not easy to access but the enterprising youth of the village found ample recompense in the joys for any exertion, even on the hottest day, required to reach it. Those who swam there, now grown gray, look at the boxes that have invaded their happy land with some thankfulness of sorrow.

The old swimming hole is only a cherished memory, remarks the Omaha Bee. Its wonderful freedom, in all ways appreciated by a healthy boy is contrasted with the modern swimming hole, provided by a great city mindful of the needs of its growing citizens. In this case it is a huge tank, set on the slope of one of the fine hills in a city park, surrounded by beautiful trees, a well kept lawn and provided with all the appurtenances needful to the complete enjoyment of the boldest swimmer or most graceful or daring diver. It is a wonderful pool and the shouts of glee that come up from its surface these hot evenings testify most forcefully to the appreciation of old and young of privilege.

The new swimming hole is typical of the newer life into which the race is merging its existence, the urban rather than the rural. It is a regular step in the orderly progress of man's evolution, but its well appointed and equally regulated delights will never take the place of that splendid swimming hole nature provided for the use of boys, many of whom are now grandfathers.

A Chivalrous Judge.

"One of our judges, famed for his chivalry and uncompromising loyalty to the traditions of procedure, was trying a case in which one of the witnesses happened to be a local actress of unusual popularity," said Col. Riker of Harrodsburg, Ky. "Her evidence was such that the usual question as to her age was not likely to be omitted, so when she came to the stand his honor instructed the court clerk to suspend action for a moment; then he addressed the lady.

"'Madam, how old are you?'

"'Twenty-five,' promptly returned the witness, who was plainly thirty-five or over.

"'Very well,' said the judge, politely. 'I asked you that question because, if I hadn't, it would surely have been asked you when the attorney for the defense cross-examined you. And, now, that you have told your age, do you swear to tell the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth?'"—Everybody's Magazine.

Interesting Instrument.

When a German aeroplane on reconnaissance duty over the French lines was recently brought down by the allies, an aerial camera of an odd type was recovered intact. The instrument is described with illustration, in the Popular Mechanics magazine. It proved to be a splendid instrument and has attracted much interest among members of the flying corps. At the rear of the case a handle and trigger like those of a revolver are provided, the latter being used to operate the shutter. It weighs about twelve pounds and has an additional handle near the front end so that it can be held with two hands when in use. The lenses are in universal focus and tests have shown that faultless photographs can be obtained with the instrument at heights varying from 160 to 1,800 yards.

Importance of M.

An artist should consider facts about the masters of his profession calmly and thoughtfully. He may reach valuable conclusions about himself. A certain musical composer of much talent—we will call him Smithkins—has a happy appreciation of his own work, as his friends all know. So highly does he appreciate the compositions of Smithkins that one of his friends was much startled the other day when he said gravely:

"Did you ever notice that the names of all the great composers begin with 'M'?"

"'M'!" ejaculated the astonished hearer.

"Yes, 'M'" said the composer, "Mozart, Mendelssohn, Meyerbeer, Moszkowski and Me!"

Passing Muster.

"I can," said the bashful young man to the director of the film company. "swim, dive, run an auto, fly an aeroplane, fence, box, shoot, ride a horse, run a motorboat, play golf, fight, make love, fall off cliffs, rescue heroines, play football, die naturally and kiss a girl."

"But," interrupted the famous director, "can you act?"

"Alas!" muttered the would-be screen hero, "I never thought of that."

"Engaged," growled the director and another screen star was born.—Life.

The Exception.

"Faint heart never won fair lady, you know."

"I don't know about that. Some widows are fair ladies."

THE PROFESSOR'S SHIRT

By FRANCES LAW.

The professor stopped as he was passing the little house next door, for there on the swing sat Miss Martha Talbridge, crocheting.

"A little warm for so early in the year," he remarked, pleasantly. It seemed that although these two had been neighbors for years they never got past the conventional subject of the weather or how much better the flies were doing this year than last.

He was quite up on his own porch and had his hat on the screen door before Martha had the courage to ask:

"How are you getting along, since Mrs. Gold went away?"

"Pretty well. Her niece is here to look after me until she returns."

"My, but I wish I had his teeth when he smiles!" sighed Martha and, not realizing that her words weren't exactly what she meant at all. She sat a minute like, but her thoughts were busier than her hands. "That's a shiftless creature that's keeping house for him now. I suppose it's the best he could do, though. Well, I guess I'd better get a cup of tea. I do believe he'd like a piece of that nut bread of mine. I'll take over a plate of it."

So, rolling up the work, she went back to the kitchen. Then, before thinking of her own lunch, she fixed up the professor's treat, covered it with a napkin and took it over the back way. The clothesline was directly across her path and she had to dodge various articles of wearing apparel as she went.

Suddenly her sharp eyes made a discovery—a hole right in the breast of one of the professor's fine white shirts. The housekeeper had complained to her at one time about his propensity for spilling acids upon himself in the laboratory and what a time she had with his mending.

Martha ate her lunch and the professor went back to school. The street quieted down and Martha prepared for a nap. Then, remembering a waist that was minus a button, she got out her sewing basket.

Then it just happened that she looked out of the window in time to see the girl in the next house lock the door and go out.

Instantly her thoughts reverted to the shirt. The clothes though dry, were still on the line, and here was she with thread and needle all ready. No second thought was necessary. She ran downstairs, through the kitchen door, around the lilac bush and had the shirt in her arms in no time. Then indoors again with her precious burden.

So she patched the shirt with stitches so fine and so neat that it would take sharp eyes indeed to detect the situation.

But who was that just turning the corner? The professor himself coming home early! In a panic, she picked up her mending and tore downstairs to the yard. She managed to get the clothespins back to place, although her fingers trembled dreadfully and she was shaking with fright.

Then! She went upstairs—and found the professor's shirt lying on her bed!

Her eyes widened with horror. What had she done? Weakly she got to the back room window, and there, swinging in the lazy afternoon breeze, was her waist on the professor's clothesline. She almost fainted with dismay.

There was nothing to do but wait. And waiting only brought increased dismay, for the maid returned and gathered in the clothes, with her waist among them.

Get the waist she must—some way. So that evening, when the dishes were done and "the street" was sitting out in front, she saw the professor go out with some books under his arm, and, later, Hattie, in flaunting pink, departed with a beau for a movie. The house next door was dark and deserted.

Finally she roused herself with an effort, and tiptoed across the back lawns to the other house. A window opened onto the porch and nothing stood between her and the coveted interior but a rickety screen. She pushed and it gave. She was soon inside the black kitchen groping for the laundry basket.

Then her hand touched it! Thank heaven, and right on top was her waist. She could tell it by the lace collar she had made herself. The shirt was quickly substituted for it and she was retreating when a light was switched on suddenly and the professor stood in the dining room door!

Martha looked at him an instant with wide-open eyes, and then promptly and quietly fainted.

She revived almost immediately and saw the agitated professor bending over her. Then, with a fresh realization of what had happened, she shuddered and closed her eyes again. She wanted to die! But he had one of her hands in his and didn't let go. As she comprehended that fact, her cheeks went from a deathly white to vivid red, and then the tears started. If only she could get away!

She tried to stand up, and he helped her to her feet. But, instead of letting the hand go, he took possession of the other one.

"Martha, how you frightened me, dear!" he said. "I thought you were dead. I thought I had lost you."

With a happy, albeit perplexed, little sigh, she attempted no defense.

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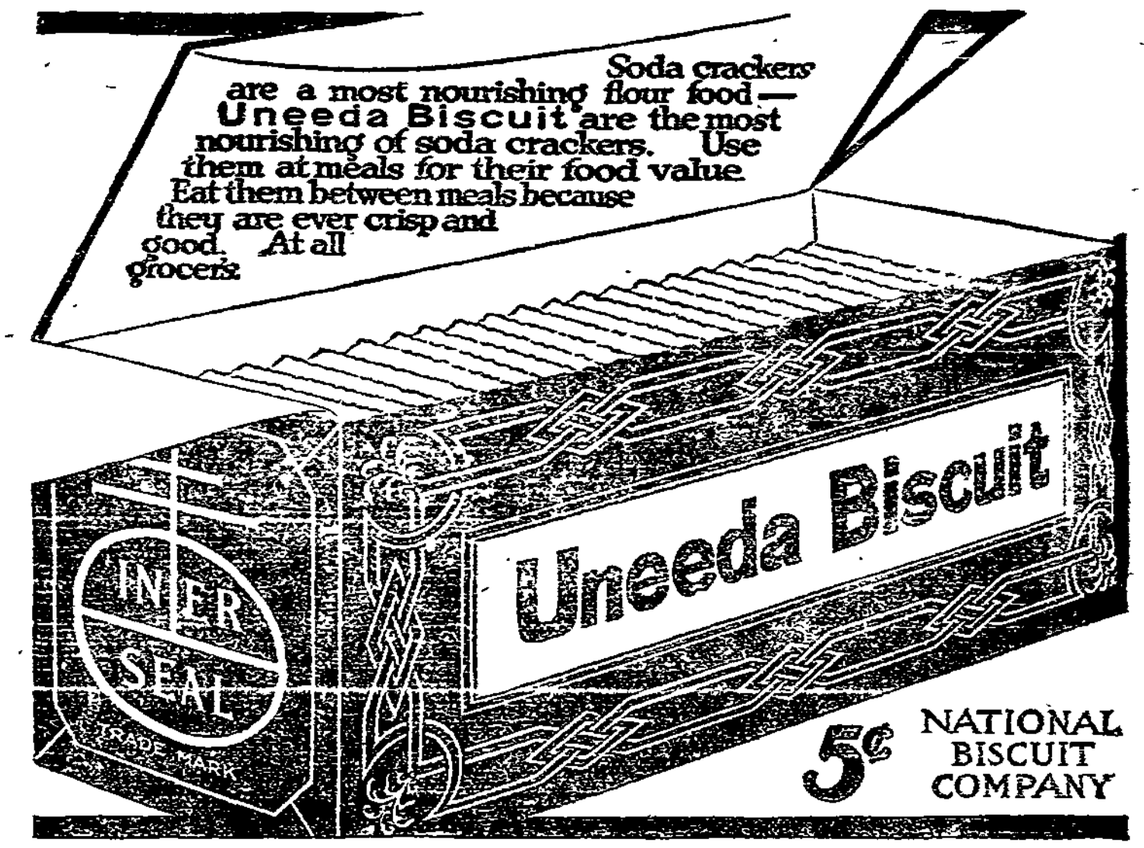
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Reserve Fund.		
Cash, specie and notes	$35,672 00	
Due from approved reserve agents	77,702 15	113,374 15
Nickels and cents		150 51
Checks and cash items		2,776 10
Securities pledged for Special deposits		2 050 00
Assets held free, viz:		
Commercial paper purchased upon one name	$30,000 60	
Commercial paper purchased upon two or more names	$151,2 [illegible]	181,343 76
Loans upon call with collateral		139,418 25
Time loans with collateral		5,705 18
Loans secured by bonds and mortgages		15,920 00
Loans without collateral		76,817 65
Bonds, stocks, etc		94,037 75
Mortgages and judgments of record		123,596 38
Office Building and L[illegible]		45,881 76
Other real estate		61,498 65
Furniture and fixtures		12,238 81
Overdrafts		81 39
Total		$ 847,459 80

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 125,000 00
Surplus Funds	50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	18,843 84
Individual deposits subject to check [exclusive of trust funds and savings]	231,151 91
Time certificates of deposit [Exclusive of trust funds and savings]	55,054 39
Deposits, saving fund, [exclusive of Trust Funds]	316 099 48
Deposits, U. S. Postal Savings	1,569 45
Deposits Municipal	42,818 50
Dividends unpaid	42 00
Treasurer's and Certified Checks outstanding	72 95
Unearned int rest	832 12
Total	$ 847,459 80
Amount of trust funds invested	$ 210,492 [illegible]
Cash Balance	7,860 81
Total Trust funds	$ 218 3 [illegible]

CORPORATE TRUSTS

Total amount (i. e. face value) of Trusts under deeds of trust or mortgages executed by Corporations to the Company as Trustee to secure issues of corporate bonds, including Equipment Trusts $ 530,000 00

State of Pennsylvania, County of Washington, ss:

I, E. W. Hastings, Treasurer of the above named Company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signed) E. W. HASTINGS, Treasurer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of September, 1916.

(Signed) GEO. W. RISBECK, Notary Public.

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